

Attorney Docket No. 04081/LH

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Atsushi SHIBUTANI, et al.

Serial No. : 10/772,742

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For : IMAGE REPRODUCTION APPARATUS  
CAPABLE OF SIMULTANEOUSLY  
REPRODUCING PLURALITY OF IMAGES

Art Unit : 2622

Examiner : CARRAMAH J. QUIETT

This paper is being submitted  
via EFS-Web on January 31, 2008

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extension of time, and to the  
extent not already paid,  
authorization to charge the  
extension fee to Account  
No. 06-1378. In addition,  
authorization is hereby given to  
charge any fees for which  
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or to credit any overpayments,  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

S I R :

This is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment  
dated January 28, 2008 the term for response to which expires on  
February 28, 2008.

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. Claims 1-7, 11-25,  
32 and 33 are amended, and claims 8-10 and 26-31 are canceled.

The attached new listing of claims shows proper underlining  
and bracketing to correctly indicate all changes made to the  
claims. The attached listing of claims replaces the listing of  
claims set forth in the Amendment filed on November 13, 2007.

It is respectfully requested that prosecution on the merits now proceed.

If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,

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